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NEW COUNCIL

Last Meeting of Old Council—First Meeting of The New—Final Business Transacted—New Committees and Officers Appointed.

The Council that has for the past two years attended to the public affairs of the Village of Wauseon and wrestled with the various problems that are constantly arising in the administration of the village government, met last Monday evening. The Council was called to order by Mayor Hoy and in one, two, three order the business of their final session was taken up and disposed of. Clerk Orth read the minutes of the last regular meeting which were approved and signed. Mr. Orth then read the Clerk's Report of receipts and expenditures for the year 1915.

On motion this report was accepted and ordered placed on file. Claims Ordinance was passed the minutes of this meeting were read and approved and the Council adjourned sine die. With the adjournment of this council, Messrs. Charles Johnson and H. F. Dimke retire after four years service on the council and C. T. Pontius retires after two years service. Mayor Hoy expressed his appreciation of the faithful services of the retiring council and then called the new council to order and Clerk Orth administered the oath of office to the members. The present council roll is as follows: A. S. Blake, Charles Bulger, E. F. Hanson, George Howard, C. E. Howe and C. J. Ives. The new clerk, J. C. King assumed his duties and the new council began business. Mayor Hoy announced George Howard as his appointment as president of the council and this appointment was confirmed by unanimous vote. Clerk King then read the Mayor's assignment of members of the council to the various committees. The first named are appointed as chairmen of the respective committees: Finance Committee, Bulger, Ives, Hanson, Street Committee, Howe, Bulger, Hanson. Sewer Committee, Hanson, Howe, Blake, Sidewalk Committee, Ives, Bulger, Hanson. Building Committee, Blake, Howard, Ives, Light Committee, Howard, Howe, Blake. A resolution was presented considered and passed by vote of the council making appropriations to the funds of the various departments of the Village government for the ensuing six months.

Bids from the banks of Wauseon to act as depository of Village. The bid of the Peoples State Bank was 2 1/2 per cent on average daily cash balance on all funds, interest to be computed semi-annually. The first National Bank bid 2 per cent and practically the same conditions. The council passed a resolution appointing the Peoples State Bank of Wauseon as the depository for all funds of the village for the years 1916 and 1917, said resolution carrying the requirement of legal security to be furnished by the bank.

The bond of the Village Treasurer, W. B. Harris was accepted and filed. A resolution was passed appointing R. B. Darby as solicitor for the village for the years 1916 and 1917, at a salary of \$175.00 per year. Mayor Hoy announced the appointment of Robert Sweeney as Street Commissioner and Health Officer; this appointment was confirmed by a unanimous vote of the council. A resolution was passed appointing

L. H. Deyo as police judge for the village. The Mayor informed the council that the State Board of Health have ordered a resurvey of the sewer system of the village and require that an engineer be secured to perform this work; he then appointed the sewer committee to look after the matter of securing a competent engineer.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of The Fulton County Farmers' Mutual Insurance Aid Association will be held at the Court House, Wauseon, Ohio, on Wednesday January 12, 1916. Executive Board meeting at 10 o'clock a. m. Members' meeting at 1 o'clock p. m. Let us have a good attendance at this meeting.

W. L. SINDEL, Secy.

JANUARY TERM

Common Pleas Court of Fulton County—Big Day's Work For Grand Jury—Seven Indictments Returned—New Cases Filed—Cases Disposed of.

The Grand Jury for the January term of Common Pleas in Fulton County convened last Monday morning; Judge Wolf charged the jury at ten o'clock a. m. and the jury completed its work and filed its report at 5:15 p. m. Between these hours they put in one of the best records for work of any grand jury that has ever convened in Fulton County. Twenty-seven witnesses were examined covering ten cases which were submitted to the jury; of these ten cases, three were ignored and seven bills of indictment found. The jury visited the county jail and for the second time the commissioners of Fulton County were "recommended and urged" by a grand jury to place a storm door at the West door of the county jail. The jury commended sheriff J. B. McQuillin for the sanitary condition in which they found the jail and close their report on this institution by requesting the commissioners to follow their recommendation regarding the storm door at the West door of the jail.

New cases filed in Common Pleas Court since last week are: Esther Fetterman vs. Claud Fetterman, divorce.

F. C. Smallman vs. Otto Schlegel, transcript from Justice court of L. H. Deyo.

Schlatter & Howards vs. Otto Schlegel, transcript from Justice court of L. H. Deyo.

W. Edward Mohr vs. John James, at al. Quiet title.

The grand jury returned indictments against Joseph Pater and Frank Connor charged with drinking intoxicating liquors on a Toledo & Indiana Railway car. Joseph Pater was arrested Monday and arraigned before the court; he pled guilty to the charge and was fined \$10.00 and \$5.00. Frank Connor was arrested Tuesday, brought immediately before the court, pled guilty to the charge and was fined \$25.00 and costs.

We have just got in our second shipment of blankets. If in need of a horse blanket call and see C. P. STOTZER.

For sore throats rub thoroughly with Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh.

EXTENSION SCHOOL

Fulton County Agricultural Extension School—To Be Held in Wauseon February 7th to 11th—Local Organization—Instructors and Subjects.

The local organization for the Agricultural Extension school to be held at Wauseon under the direction of the Agricultural College of Ohio State University was effected last Monday evening. Those who had signed the petition for the school gathered in the office of County School Superintendent Perry, a representative of the Agricultural College was present to advise in regard to the selection of instructors, manner of organization and etc.

Mr. H. B. Brown was chosen president and Har... Gache, Secretary. The price of tickets for men was fixed at \$1.00 and for women 25c. The date of the school is February 7th to February 11th inclusive; there will be two separate sections of the school, one for men and one for women; in the men's section there will be two main lines of instruction: Soil Fertility and Farm Crops in addition to this there will be a series of lectures and demonstrations on Dairying. In the Women's Section Home Economics will be taught by two instructors. There will be an evening session on Tuesday evening with addresses of interest and an entertaining program.

The instructors and lecturers for the school that were selected definitely Monday evening were: M. A. Bachtell specialist in Soil Fertility, L. P. Bailey, specialist in Dairying, Mary Betz and Nan Sharples instructors in Home Economics. Other speakers that may be here are H. P. Miller and D. R. Vannatta County Agents; Clark S. Wheeler Supervisor of the Agricultural College Extension Service and G. W. Bush Supervisor of County Agents.

As possible speakers at this school. The price fixed for daily admissions is 25c for men and 15c for women.

BOX SOCIAL

There will be a box social and entertainment, Thursday evening, January 13th, at the Bond School, three and one half miles south and two miles east of Wauseon. Everybody is invited.

"Be sure and come, Bring your friend, or your wife, And have the time of your life; Don't forget your purse For that, you really want the worse; If you wish to buy A box full of chicken and pie."

GRACE WILLIAMS, Teacher.

Bad Cold Quickly Broken Up. Mrs. Martha Wilcox, Gowanda, N. Y. writes: "I first used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy about eight years ago. At that time I had a hard cold and coughed most of the time. It proved to be just what I needed. It broke up the cold in a few days and the cough entirely disappeared. I have told many of my friends of the good I received through using this medicine, and all who have used it speak of it in the highest terms." For sale by all dealers.

NOTICE. The firm Trondle Brothers are going to dissolve partnership; all in debt to this firm settle by January 15th. The business then will be continued by John Trondle. 39-2-p

MENS' BROTHERHOOD.

The Methodist church of Wauseon held a banquet and social hour, last Thursday evening, and also elected officers for the ensuing year. After the banquet Hon. Frank Reighard gave a very interesting lecture on his experience as a legislator.

The organization has a membership of about one hundred and aims to meet about three times each year. The officers elected are as follows: President, A. M. Barber; First Vice President, Earl Wilson; Second Vice President, Roll Hoy; Third Vice President, Earl Harger; Fourth Vice President, Henry Schlatter; Secretary, Alwin Bacht; Treasurer, Charles Struble and Chaplain, J. E. Worden.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Report of Receipts and Expenditures of The Village of Wauseon for The Year 1915 Submitted to Council By Carl Orth, Village Clerk.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council, Village of Wauseon, Ohio.

I herewith submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures in the several funds of the Village for the year 1915.

Respectfully submitted, CARL F. ORTH, Village Clerk.

GENERAL FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$ 541.10
Tax Collections..... 301.56
Licenses & Fines..... 103.00
Elections..... 375.00
Loan from Sinking Fund..... 300.00
Interest on deposits..... 60.39

\$1340.43

Expenditures

Councilman Sal. \$ 288.00
Mayor Sal. 50.00
Clerks Sal. 250.00
Treasurer Sal. 50.00
Solicitor Sal. 175.00
Elections 41.62
Trustees P. A. Sal. 144.00
Settlement Kindal case 235.95
Insurance 135.00
Contingent 61.28

\$1430.85

December 31, 1915

Cash on hand 450.70

\$1881.55

SAFETY FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$ 171.10
Tax collections..... \$ 432.10
Loan 400.00

Total \$ 832.10

\$1003.20

Expenditures

Marshal Sal. \$150.00
Police 56.24
Other Police Ex. 59.50
Firemen 251.70
Other Fire Dept. Expense 48.45

Total \$ 965.90

December 31, 1915, Balance on hand 37.30

\$1003.20

SERVICE FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$1683.27
Tax collections..... \$7726.75
Robt. Sweeney dirt sold 20.00
W. J. Foster, Chestnut street 116.89

\$7863.64

\$9546.91

Expenditures

Parks 214.60
Street repair 695.67
Street cleaning 1400.70
Street lighting 433.03
Sewer & drainage. 325.25
Band 200.00
Sidewalks and crosswalks 225.84
Street Com. sal. 450.00
Contingent 187.20

\$8632.29

December 31, 1915, Cash on hand 914.62

\$9546.91

HEALTH FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$ 153.97
Tax collections..... 319.26

Total \$ 473.23

Expenditures

Garbage removal. 10.00
Quarantine 13.42
Other health ex. 25.67

Total \$ 99.09

December 31, 1915, Cash on hand 374.14

\$ 473.23

WATER FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$ 749.17
Water rentals \$6491.47
Meter sales and repairs 387.50
Sundry receipts 118.00

\$7867.14

Expenditures

Office expense..... \$ 461.85
Employees 3032.65
Fuel & Light 2648.93
Repairs pipes and machinery 242.11
Other operating expense 302.39
Pipe extension 203.61
Meters 362.71
New machinery 90.66
Contingent 268.38

Total \$7613.09

December 31, 1915, Cash on hand 254.05

\$7867.14

January 1st, 1915 number of consumers.....824

Connections made during year..... 15

December 31st, 1915, total consumers.....839

SINKING FUND

Receipts

January 1st, 1915.
Cash on hand..... \$ 1067.45
Tax collections..... \$21277.81
Interest on deposits 158.36
Interest on investments 32.50
Transfers 328.44

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COUNTY AFFAIRS

Court House News For The Week

Cases in Probate Court—Marriage Licenses—Real Estate Transfers—Orders Drawn on Treasury—New Cases in Common Pleas Court.

Probate Court.
Estate of Alba C. Ely, deceased, first and final account confirmed.

Assignment of Alfred E. Barnes, et al, second and final account, confirmed and distribution ordered.

Guardianship of Rosella I. Grime, et al, third partial and final account confirmed.

Estate of Mary Prichard, second partial account confirmed.

Estate of Robert B. Fuller, Jr. Application filed. Bond filed. Letters of administration issued to Clarence D. Martin and W. L. P. Powers, William Kiger and A. E. Woodard are appointed appraisers.

M. B. Cottrell as administrator vs. Josaphant Parent et al. Petition to sell real estate filed.

Estate of Myron Whitehorn, hearing on application for administration of estate at one p. m. Hearing continued to January 26th, 1915, one p. m.

Estate of George Leisinger, Sr. Inventory and appraisal filed.

Estate of William B. Elwell, application filed. Bond filed. Letters of administration issued to Robert C. Elwell and H. C. Frogley, A. B. Lathrop and George R. Ackerman are appointed appraisers.

Estate of W. H. Flickinger, application for letters testamentary filed. Bond filed and letters testamentary issued to Anna Flickinger and J. J. Born, Henry Keyes and J. B. McQuillin are appointed appraisers.

Will of Mary M. Dinius, hearing held. Testimony of witnesses taken and Commissioner appointed to take testimony of Neal T. Ritchey and Vina E. Ritchey, who are without the jurisdiction of the court.

Guardianship of Charles W. Atherton, inventory filed.

Election of P. Mechie as guardianship vs. Louise Mechie, et al, action to sell undivided interest in land, bond filed, and said land sold at private sale and deed ordered.

Will of Sarah E. Whitney, application for probate of will filed. Hearing set for January 4th, 1916, 10 a. m.

Estate of William Delmaine, 3rd partial account filed. Hearing set for January 31st, 1916.

Estate of Celon S. Hover, application filed. Bond filed. Letters of administration issued to Melvin Hinkle, and S. E. Mann, Harrison Robinson and J. H. Barden, are appointed as appraisers.

Guardianship of Roscoe O. Bradley, sixth account filed. Hearing set for January 31, 1916.

Marriage Licenses.
Charles M. Gillespie, 36, farmer and Elsie G. Elliott, 28, both of Lyons, Ohio, Rev. J. H. Williams officiating.

David B. Johnson, County Clerk and Lillian T. Strong, both of Wauseon, Ohio, Rev. Kenyon officiating.

Robert F. Hancock, 30, farmer and Ethel M. Porter, 24, both of Swanton, Ohio, Rev. A. Barker officiating.

Marion Griesinger, 22, farmer and Louise M. Bowerman, 21, both of Delta, Ohio, Rev. A. Barker officiating.

Clarence A. Steiner, 25, farmer, (Continued on page 4)

CHECKS

When you see a man with a checking account "hand over" checks in payment, don't conclude that the whole service of a checking account has been performed.

Not at all. Checks have after-value. The bank "hands back" every check to the man who writes them. The checks return canceled and have an after-value because they are legal receipts and sure records of past payments.

—another reason for starting your checking account here.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION

Wauseon Poultry and Pet Stock Association Hold Annual Meeting—Officers Elected—Plans For 1916 Show Under Consideration.

The Wauseon Poultry and Pet Stock Association held their Annual Meeting and election of officers at T. and I. Hall last Monday evening. A full set of officers for the year 1916 was elected and the formulation of plans for the Third Annual Show of the Association, was begun.

Officers of the Association for the year 1916 duly elected at the meeting Monday night are as follows: President, E. C. Sullivan; Vice President, Phil Porter; Secretary, Harry Merrill; Ass't. Secretary, J. L. Socie; Treasurer, E. M. Leaders; Superintendent, J. C. Saunders; Board of Directors, Harrison Bidloe, Earl D. Wilson; Arthur Flory, Joe Perry, L. D. Burgoon.

The Association will hold regular meetings on the first Monday evenings of each month at the T. & I. Hall. The necessary committees have been selected and the formulation of plans for the years work of the Association which will culminate with the Third Annual Poultry Show of the Association are now under way. Members of the Association were of the opinion that the time of holding the next show of Poultry and Pet Stock would be determined at the next regular meeting of the Association which will be held on Monday February 7th.



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First National Bank

"The BANK-BY-MAIL Bank"

Wauseon, Ohio

Baer's Lancaster Almanacs and Excelsior Diaries for 1916

Fink & Haumesser

Our Semi-Yearly Clearance Sale Is Now On

YOU have to regard this as the Chief Clothing Sale of the Season, on account of the quality of the merchandise, the selection offered and the liberal reduction. This year it is specially important. The merchandise is the best we have ever offered at these prices, and it will pay any man to anticipate his needs while the opportunity lasts.

All Hart Schaffner & Marx, Collegian and Clothcraft Overcoats and Patterned Suits at The Following Prices

MEN'S			
\$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$20.00
\$22.50 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$18.00
\$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$16.00
\$18.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$14.50
\$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$12.00
\$12.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$10.00
\$10.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$8.00

BOYS'			
\$8.50 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$6.50
\$7.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$5.00
\$5.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$3.75
\$4.00 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$3.00
\$3.50 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$2.75
\$2.50 Suits and Overcoats	-	-	\$2.00
Blue Serge and Black Suits at	-	-	10% off

FUR or PLUSH Lined Overcoats			
In view of the Advance in Woolen and Scarcity of Furs, while these may last			
\$40.00 Fur trimmed and Fur lined Overcoats	-	-	\$30.00
\$35.00 Fur trimmed and Fur lined Overcoats	-	-	\$27.50
\$28.00 Fur trimmed and Fur lined Overcoats	-	-	\$22.50
\$25.00 Fur trimmed and Fur lined Overcoats	-	-	\$18.50
\$22.50 Plush lined and Marmot collar	-	-	\$16.50
\$18.00 Plush lined and Persian collar	-	-	\$13.50
\$15.00 Plush lined and fur trimmed	-	-	\$12.00

Sweaters with Shawl Collar, Byron or V Shape			
50c Sweaters	-	-	40c
\$1.00 Sweaters	-	-	85c
\$1.50 Sweaters	-	-	\$1.20
\$2.00 Sweaters	-	-	\$1.60
\$3.00 Sweaters	-	-	\$2.40
\$5.00 Sweaters	-	-	\$4.00

Early Selections Will Secure The Best Bargains

Harrison & Funkhouser Bros.

Home of Good Clothes and Shoes

One-Fourth Off

COAT SALE!

Commencing at once and continuing until our stock is reduced we offer our entire line

Ladies', Misses & Children's Coats

at 1-4 off

This sale includes the entire assortment of fancy mixtures, plain cloths, corduroys, plushes, etc., made in the latest and best styles.

The materials and workmanship are both of the highest grade and the values as previously priced were unquestioned.

If you need a coat get it at once at

25% Discount

Dresses: All wool and silk dresses in a great variety of styles and colors are on sale at 1-3 OFF

Eager, Standish & Hatt